

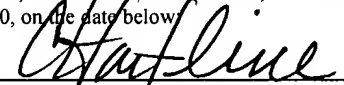


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In re Application of:	§	
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	§	Examiner: Nguyen, Danny
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**REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION AND AMENDMENT AND
RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION MAILED APRIL 5, 2005**

Dear Sir:

Applicants have elected to file a Request for Continued Examination to further prosecute the above-identified application. Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.114, this communication addresses the arguments advanced by the Examiner in the Final Office Action mailed April 5, 2005. Applicants respectfully request consideration of the above-identified application in light of the following amendments and remarks.